

25 INDICTED BY GRAND JURY; BUT 4 MADE PUBLIC

Ex-Officials Of Knox Tire & Rubber Co. Said To Have Been Indicted

EMBEZZLEMENT IS THE CHARGE MADE

Grand Jury Completes Work Thursday Morning; Court Notes Of Interest

After being in session nearly three days and a half, the Knox county grand jury of the May term of common pleas court reported to Judge Blair about 10 o'clock Thursday morning, returning 25 indictments against 25 persons.

Prosecuting Attorney Paul M. Ashbaugh announced Thursday that out of the 25 indictments returned, but four were made public, owing to the fact that the defendants have not been apprehended.

The four indictments made public are:

Ohio vs. William Rearrick—Shooting with intent to wound.

Ohio vs. Clair Weekley—Indicted on two charges, assault with intent to commit a robbery and carrying concealed weapons.

Ohio vs. Bennett Turner—Rape with consent.

Ohio vs. Robert Trinkle—Burglary. While Prosecutor Ashbaugh refused to comment on the indictments not made public, it was learned at the courthouse Thursday that indictments were returned against each of the five former directors and officers of the Knox Tire & Rubber Co., charging them with embezzlement. It is claimed that the aggregate amount of the alleged embezzlement is \$26,200. It is further claimed that the five former officers and directors were indicted jointly on a charge of violating the blue sky law of the state of Ohio.

Of the 25 indictments returned, 12 are for non-support, according to Prosecutor Ashbaugh. None of these indictments was made public, as the defendants have not been apprehended.

One of the indictments not made public is against a woman, according to information given out today.

The grand jury investigated 25 cases, ignoring but three cases. The members of the grand jury visited the Knox county jail on Thursday morning and made a report to Judge Blair commending Sheriff Lytle and Mrs. Lytle, the matron, on the sanitary condition.

The grand jury was composed of five women and seven men. Thomas E. Auskings was the foreman.

Case Appealed—

The case of Mary Vandellene vs. the State of Ohio has been appealed to the common pleas court of Knox county from the court of Mayor Charles Kelgley. In the lower court the plaintiff in error was convicted on a charge of violating the prohibition laws and was fined by the mayor. The case is carried to the common pleas court on error. J. B. Graham is the attorney for the plaintiff in error. Prosecuting Attorney Paul M. Ashbaugh represents the state.

Inventory Filed—

An inventory and appraisal has been filed in the probate court of Knox county by A. L. Taylor, administrator of Louisa Taylor, showing a total of \$1,353.49.

Real Estate Transfers—

Dana Snow to Elizabeth Walls, parcel in Danville, \$1.
Nola B. Dowds to H. A. Gehres, parcel in city, \$1.

Mirth and the Maiden.

"He was a mirth-loving man, and perhaps that accounted not a little for his successful amours; since women, for the most part frivolous creatures, are excessively bored by the seriousness with which men treat them, and they can seldom resist the buffoon who makes them laugh. Their sense of humor is crude. Diana of Ephesus is always prepared to fling prudence to the winds for the red-nosed comedian who sits on his hat."—From "The Trembling of a Leaf," by Somerset Maugham.

"Henry VIII."

"Henry VIII" is supposed to have been drawn mainly from Cavendish's "Life of Wolsey" and from the chronicles of Chetivle and others. It was accepted that the play—the last of the Shakespearean works—was not written by him in its exact final form, but was somewhat modified by Burbage and his company in preparing it for the stage. This, if done, probably was with Shakespeare's consent.

FREDERICKTOWN

W. L. Dennis, who was recently operated upon at the Christ hospital, M. L. Auburn, Cincinnati, is doing fine and is expected home in the near future. baccalaureate sermon in the M. E. church next Sunday evening.

Mother's Day will be observed at the M. E. church next Sunday morning with an appropriate program. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend.

The grades have prepared a splendid program for Class day, next Thursday at the high school auditorium, one of the features being a pageant. Wednesday evening is the class play, entitled "A Trial of Hearts." On Thursday evening the commencement address will be given by Prof. F. C. Landstet of O. S. U. Friday evening the alumni banquet.

The Community club will hold its regular meeting Tuesday, May 16, at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. H. Eastman. A good attendance is desired.

Group No. 1 of the L. A. S. of the M. E. church will meet at the home of Mrs. Mark Thuma Monday, May 15, at 2 o'clock. Any who did not hand in their dollar at the "experience meeting" can do so at this time.

The class play, "A Trial of Hearts," will be repeated at the high school auditorium Saturday evening, May 20.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church will serve their annual Promotion day chicken dinner in the parlors of the church next Thursday. Plenty of big chick and trimmings for 35c.

Marple has the best of floor varnish for \$3.25 a gallon—90c per quart.

Presbyterian Church—May 14. Sunday school 9:45. Morning worship at 11. This is Mother's Day. It will be appropriately observed in the services of the church. At 2:30 p. m. a union service in the Presbyterian church, conducted by the American Legion and Auxiliary. At 7:30 p. m. the high school baccalaureate service in the M. E. church. Monday at 8 p. m. teachers' training class. On account of the events of commencement week, there will be no meeting of the Light Bearers, no prayer meeting, and the missionary society will meet on May 24 instead of May 17.

Union Services
Mother's Day, May 14, will be observed next Sunday at 2:30 at the Presbyterian church, by Joe Cocconour post, No. 500, American Legion, and the Auxiliary, in honor and remembrance of the noble sacrifices of patriotic motherhood. Special tribute to be paid to the gold-star mothers, and the unknown mother of the unknown soldier buried at Arlington national cemetery. All relatives of the Legion members, soldiers of the Civil and Spanish war, and the daughters, are invited to meet with us this Mother's Day, and once more to pause in prayer for the world's peace. Address by Rev. F. L. Harper of the Presbyterian church. Special music. The public is earnestly requested to attend. Wayne Wiggins, post commander.

Bladensburg
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hess and son Glenn spent the week-end at their home.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Melick entertained Sunday: Mr. James Mills and family, Mr. and Mrs. Steward Morrison and daughter Donna, of Fredericktown.
Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Hagan of New Castle returned home Sunday after several days' visit with their sister, Mrs. Harry Cummings.
Mr. and Mrs. Grover Olney and son

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BATEMANTOWN

A number from this place attended the Fish school reunion at Waterford last Friday. This is an annual affair. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fish of Chicago being the guests of honor.

Mr. H. H. Bisset of Akron is the guest this week of his cousin, Mrs. K. K. Bateman.

Rev. Snyder filled the pulpit at the M. E. church Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Johnson entertained for dinner Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fish of Chicago and Mr. Fish of Levering.

Mr. William Miller is very ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. D. F. Cochran. His other daughter, Mrs. Jay Bone of Lock, and Mrs. Cloyde McKee of this place, are in almost constant attendance at his bedside.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cochran and family of near Chesterville were Sunday callers at the Cochran home.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Boozie entertained Sunday with a family dinner the following guests: Mrs. Lillie Fidler and son Harold, Mr. George Kuntz and family of near Lucerne, Mr. Avery Zolman and family of near Falskville, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Vickroy, Mr. and Mrs. Chester McDaniel, all of this place, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hurst and Mrs. Melissa Fidler of Fredericktown.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lafayette were called to Mt. Vernon Tuesday morning to be at the bedside of their daughter, Mrs. Helen Hauger of near Amity, who is at Mercy hospital.

Friends here were sorry to hear of the death of Allen Mohn, a former resident of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Gilmore very pleasantly entertained the Eagle Grove Country club last Thursday evening. A short program was given by members of the club, after which a committee of ladies, assisted by the hostess, served refreshments. The contest between the north and south sides, which was organized two months ago for a groundhog, rat, mouse and sparrow hunt, closed last Thursday evening, the south side having about 900 points ahead. The defeated side will entertain at the home of Earl Wineland the first Thursday night in June.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Shipley entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Montgomery and sons, Dwight, Royaland Doyle, Mr. and Mrs. Royal Loney and son Doyle, Master Robert Brown, Misses Myrl, Florence, Leland and Cecil Parsons, Sunday, honoring the 11th birthday anniversary of their son Duane.

The Pleasant Hill school, taught by Miss Agnes Penhorwood, will give a play, "A Hooded Coon" on May 16. The cast is as follows:

Misery Moon, a hooded coon—Olive Cline.
Gideon Blair, a millionaire—May Umphryes.
Tom Riddle, as slick as a whistle—Sheldon Adams.
Hiram Tutt, an awful nut—Phillip Grubaugh.
Patrick Keller, a ticket seller—Cyrus Oldaker.
Samantha Slade, a poor old maid—Velma Oldaker.
Rosebud Reese, her charming niece—Sylvia Adams.
Palua Maleck, a Bolshevik—Susie Leonard.
Lulu Pearl, a jazz time girl—Agnes Penhorwood.
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